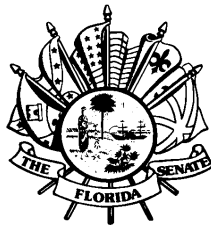


James E. "Jim" King, Jr.
President



Alex Diaz de la Portilla
President Pro Tempore

Senate Calendar

Thursday, March 20, 2003
(3rd week -- 43 days remaining)

THE SENATE WILL CONVENE ON
Wednesday, March 26, 2003
2:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.
Or upon the Call of the President

SENATE SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF MARCH 17 - 21, 2003

(This is a schedule of times and places set by the Committee on Rules and Calendar and is subject to change.)

MONDAY March 17, 2003	TUESDAY March 18, 2003	WEDNESDAY March 19, 2003	THURSDAY March 20, 2003	FRIDAY March 21, 2003
<p>11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Administrative Procedures Committee (MC)*</p> <p>11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Joint Legislative Auditing Committee Verle A. Pope Comm. Rm. 309 (CB)</p> <p>Joint Legislative Committee on Everglades Oversight Rm. 110 (EL-SB)</p> <p>Legislative Committee on Intergovernmental Relations Rm. 12 (LL-HB)</p>	<p>9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. <u>or upon the Call of the President</u></p> <p>SESSION</p>	<p>7:15-8:00 a.m. Legislator's Sportsmen's Caucus Rm. 333 (CB)</p> <p>8:00 a.m.-until completion of agenda Democratic Caucus Rm. 228 (SB)</p> <p>9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon or upon the Call of the President</p> <p>SESSION</p>	<p>10:00-10:30 a.m. Group VII Appropriations Pat Thomas Comm. Rm. 412 (KB)</p> <p>10:00 a.m.-12:00 noon Group VII Finance & Tax. Rm. 37 (LL-SB)</p> <p>10:45 a.m.-12:00 noon Group VII Appropriations Subs. on: Article V Implementation & Judiciary Verle A. Pope Comm. Rm. 309 (CB)</p> <p>General Gov. Jerry Thomas Comm. Rm. 301 (CB)</p> <p>Health & Human Services Rm. 110 (EL-SB)</p> <p>Transportation & Econ. Development Rm. 117 (KB)</p>	<p>9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon Group VII Appropriations (NM)* Appropriations Subs. on: Article V Implementation & Judiciary Verle A. Pope Comm. Rm. 309 (CB)</p> <p>General Gov. Jerry Thomas Comm. Rm. 301 (CB)</p> <p>Health & Human Services Rm. 110 (EL-SB)</p> <p>Transportation & Econ. Development Rm. 117 (KB)</p> <p>Finance & Taxation (NM)*</p> <p>9:30 a.m.-12:00 noon Group VII Appropriations Subs. on: Crim. Justice Rm. 42 (LL-SB)</p> <p>Education Pat Thomas Comm. Rm. 412 (KB)</p>
LUNCH & DISTRICT OFFICE	LUNCH & DISTRICT OFFICE	LUNCH & DISTRICT OFFICE	LUNCH & DISTRICT OFFICE	LUNCH & DISTRICT OFFICE
<p>2:00-4:00 p.m. Group I Comprehensive Planning Pat Thomas Comm. Rm. 412 (KB)</p> <p>Home Defense, Public Security, and Ports Rm. 110 (EL-SB)</p> <p>Military and Veterans' Affairs, Base Protection, and Spaceports Rm. 37 (LL-SB)</p>	<p>1:30-3:30 p.m. Group II Commerce, Economic Opportunities, and Consumer Services Pat Thomas Comm. Rm. 412 (KB)</p> <p>Judiciary Rm. 110 (EL-SB)</p> <p>Nat. Resources Rm. 37 (LL-SB)</p> <p>4:00-6:00 p.m. Group VII Appropriations (NM)* Appropriations Subs. on: Article V Implementation & Judiciary Verle A. Pope Comm. Rm. 309 (CB)</p> <p>Crim. Justice Rm. 42 (LL-SB)</p> <p>Education Pat Thomas Comm. Rm. 412 (KB)</p> <p>General Gov. Jerry Thomas Comm. Rm. 301 (CB)</p> <p>Health & Human Services Rm. 110 (EL-SB)</p> <p>Transportation & Econ. Development Rm. 117 (KB)</p> <p>Finance & Taxation (NM)*</p>	<p>1:30-3:30 p.m. Group VI Banking and Insurance Rm. 110 (EL-SB)</p> <p>Criminal Justice Rm. 37 (LL-SB)</p> <p>Education Pat Thomas Comm. Rm. 412 (KB)</p> <p>4:00-6:00 p.m. Group IV Agriculture Jerry Thomas Comm. Rm. 301 (CB)</p> <p>Children and Families Rm. 37 (LL-SB)</p> <p>Governmental Oversight and Productivity Rm. 110 (EL-SB)</p> <p>7:00 p.m.-until completion of agenda Black Business Caucus FL Restaurant Assoc.</p>	<p>12:15 p.m.-until completion of agenda Rules and Calendar Special Order Subcommittee (MC)*</p> <p>1:00-3:00 p.m. Group III Communication and Public Utilities Rm. 110 (EL-SB)</p> <p>Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care Pat Thomas Comm. Rm. 412 (KB)</p> <p>Transportation Rm. 37 (LL-SB)</p> <p>3:30-5:30 p.m. Group V Ethics and Elections Pat Thomas Comm. Rm. 412 (KB)</p> <p>3:30-6:30 p.m. Group V Regulated Industries Rm. 110 (EL-SB)</p>	<p>(MC)* = Meeting Canceled (NM)* = Not Meeting</p>

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SENATE SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF MARCH 24 - 28, 2003

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MONDAY March 24, 2003	TUESDAY March 25, 2003	WEDNESDAY March 26, 2003	THURSDAY March 27, 2003	FRIDAY March 28, 2003
<p>11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Joint Administrative Procedures Rm. 42 (LL-SB)</p>	<p>9:00-11:00 a.m. Group II Commerce, Economic Opportunities, and Consumer Services <i>Pat Thomas</i> <i>Comm. Rm. 412 (KB)</i> Judiciary Rm. 110 (EL-SB) Natural Resources Rm. 37 (LL-SB)</p>	<p>9:00-11:00 a.m. Group IV Agriculture <i>Jerry Thomas</i> <i>Comm. Rm. 301 (CB)</i> Children and Families Rm. 37 (LL-SB) Governmental Oversight and Productivity Rm. 110 (EL-SB) 11:15 a.m.-1:15 p.m. Group I Comprehensive Planning <i>Pat Thomas</i> <i>Comm. Rm. 412 (KB)</i> Home Defense, Public Security, and Ports Rm. 110 (EL-SB) Military and Veterans' Affairs, Base Protection, and Spaceports Rm. 37 (LL-SB)</p>	<p>9:00-11:00 a.m. SESSION</p>	<p>9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. Group VII Appropriations <i>Pat Thomas</i> <i>Comm. Rm. 412 (KB)</i> Appropriations Subs. on: Article V Implementation & Judiciary <i>Verle A. Pope</i> <i>Comm. Rm. 309 (CB)</i> Criminal Justice Rm. 42 (LL-SB) Education <i>Pat Thomas</i> <i>Comm. Rm. 412 (KB)</i> Gen. Gov. <i>Jerry Thomas</i> <i>Comm. Rm. 301 (CB)</i> Health & Human Services Rm. 110 (EL-SB) Transportation & Econ. Development Rm. 117 (KB) Finance & Taxation Rm. 37 (LL-SB)</p>
LUNCH & DISTRICT OFFICE	LUNCH & DISTRICT OFFICE	LUNCH & DISTRICT OFFICE	LUNCH & DISTRICT OFFICE	LUNCH & DISTRICT OFFICE
<p>2:00-4:00 p.m. Group V Ethics and Elections <i>Pat Thomas</i> <i>Comm. Rm. 412 (KB)</i> Regulated Industries Rm. 110 (EL-SB) 4:15 p.m.-until completion of agenda Rules and Calendar Special Order Subcommittee <i>Jerry Thomas</i> <i>Comm. Rm. 301 (CB)</i></p>	<p>1:00-3:00 p.m. Group VI Banking and Insurance Rm. 110 (EL-SB) Criminal Justice Rm. 37 (LL-SB) Education <i>Pat Thomas</i> <i>Comm. Rm. 412 (KB)</i> 3:15-5:15 p.m. Group III Communication and Public Utilities Rm. 110 (EL-SB) Health, Aging, and Long- Term Care <i>Pat Thomas</i> <i>Comm. Rm. 412 (KB)</i> Transportation Rm. 37 (LL-SB)</p>	<p>2:00-5:00 p.m. or upon the Call of the President SESSION</p>	<p>11:30 a.m.-7:00 p.m. Group VII Appropriations <i>Pat Thomas</i> <i>Comm. Rm. 412 (KB)</i> Appropriations Subs. on: Article V Implementation & Judiciary <i>Verle A. Pope</i> <i>Comm. Rm. 309 (CB)</i> Criminal Justice Rm. 42 (LL-SB) Education <i>Pat Thomas</i> <i>Comm. Rm. 412 (KB)</i> Gen. Gov. <i>Jerry Thomas</i> <i>Comm. Rm. 301 (CB)</i> Health & Human Services Rm. 110 (EL-SB) Transportation & Econ. Development Rm. 117 (KB) Finance & Taxation Rm. 37 (LL-SB)</p>	

2003 SESSION DATES

August	1, 2002	Deadline for filing claim bills (Rule 4.81)
February	7, 2003	5:00 p.m., deadline for filing requests for drafts of general bills, <u>including requests for companion bills</u>
March	4, 2003	Regular Session convenes (Article III, section 3(b), Constitution)
March	4, 2003	12:00 noon, deadline for filing bills for introduction (Rule 3.7)
April	22, 2003	50th day—last day for regularly scheduled committee meetings (Rule 2.9)
April	28, 2003	All bills are immediately certified (Rule 6.8) Conference Committee Reports require only one reading (Rule 4.5)
May	2, 2003	60th day—last day of Regular Session (Article III, section 3(d), Constitution)

SCHEDULED MEETINGS

THURSDAY, MARCH 20, 2003

10:00—10:30 a.m.

Appropriations (Group VII): 10:00—10:30 a.m., *Pat Thomas Committee Room*, 412 Knott Building:

(MEMBERSHIP: *Senator Pruitt, Chair; Senator Wasserman Schultz, Vice-Chair; Senators Carlton, Clary, Crist, Dawson, Diaz de la Portilla, Dockery, Hill, Jones, Klein, Lawson, Lee, Miller, Peaden, Smith, Villalobos and Webster*)

CS/CS/SB 698 (CA) by the Committees on Education, Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care, Senator Saunders and others—Certified Geriatric Specialty/Nurses

Amendment deadline for this meeting is Wednesday, March 19, 2003 at 10:00 a.m.

10:00 a.m.—12:00 noon

Finance and Taxation (Group VII):

10:00 a.m.—12:00 noon, Room 37 (LL), Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERSHIP: *Senator Campbell, Chair; Senator Saunders, Vice-Chair; Senators Geller, Margolis and Posey*)

SB 118 (CA) by Senator Wise and others—Disabilities/Spinal Cord Injury

CS/SB 148 (CA) by the Committee on Transportation, Senator Wise and others—Specialty License Plate/Motorcycles

SB 228 (CA) by Senator Wasserman Schultz and others—Pari-mutuel Wagering/Greyhounds

CS/CS/SB 310 (CA) by the Committees on Children and Families, Transportation, Senator Smith and others—License Plate/Child Abuse Prevention

SB 640 (CA) by Senator Fasano and others—Military Services License Plates

CS/SB 1024 (CA) by the Committee on Comprehensive Planning and Senator Atwater—Non-Ad Valorem Assessments

CS/SB 1126 (CA) by the Committee on Comprehensive Planning and Senator Atwater—Local Government/Half-cent Sales Tax

SB 1276 (CA) by Senator Fasano—Frequency of Audits/Auditor General

SB 1430 (CA) by Senator Alexander—Gross Receipts Tax/Manufactured Gas

SB 1774 (CA) by Senator Campbell—Tax/Gross Receipts/Utility Services

Amendment deadline for this meeting is Wednesday, March 19, 2003 at 10:00 a.m.

10:45 a.m.—12:00 noon

Appropriations: Subcommittee on Article V Implementation and Judiciary (Group VII):

10:45 a.m.—12:00 noon, *Verle A. Pope Committee Room*, 309 Capitol:

(MEMBERSHIP: *Senator Smith, Chair; Senators Alexander, Aronberg, Villalobos and Wise*)

Budget work session

Appropriations: Subcommittee on Criminal Justice

(**Group VII**): 10:45 a.m.—12:00 noon, Room 42 (LL), Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERSHIP: *Senator Crist, Chair; Senators Argenziano, Constantine, Dawson and Fasano*)

Budget work session

Appropriations: Subcommittee on Education (Group VII):

10:45 a.m.—12:00 noon, *Pat Thomas Committee Room*, 412 Knott Building:

(MEMBERSHIP: *Senator Carlton, Chair; Senators Bennett, Cowin, Diaz de la Portilla, Miller and Wasserman Schultz*)

Budget work session

Appropriations: Subcommittee on General Government

(**Group VII**): 10:45 a.m.—12:00 noon, *Jerry Thomas Committee Room*, 301 Capitol:

(MEMBERSHIP: *Senator Clary, Chair; Senators Bullard, Dockery, Lawson and Lynn*)

Budget work session

Appropriations: Subcommittee on Health and Human Services (Group VII):

10:45 a.m.—12:00 noon, Room 110 (EL), Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERSHIP: *Senator Peaden, Chair; Senators Garcia, Jones, Klein and Wilson*)

Budget work session

Appropriations: Subcommittee on Transportation and Economic Development (Group VII):

10:45 a.m.—12:00 noon, Room 117, Knott Building:

(MEMBERSHIP: *Senator Webster, Chair; Senators Atwater, Hill, Lee, Sebesta and Siplin*)

Budget work session

12:15 p.m.—until completion of agenda

Rules and Calendar: Special Order Subcommittee:

12:15 p.m.—until completion of agenda, *Jerry Thomas Committee Room*, 301 Capitol:

Meeting Canceled

1:00—3:00 p.m.

Communication and Public Utilities (Group III):

1:00—3:00 p.m., Room 110 (EL), Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERSHIP: Senator Bennett, Chair; Senator Atwater, Vice-Chair; Senators Cowin, Crist, Margolis, Miller, Posey, Pruitt and Siplin)

CS/SB 304 (CA) by the Committee on Comprehensive Planning and Senator Argenziano—Utility Customers/ID Info/Pub. Rec.
SB 1078 (CA) by Senator Atwater—Communications Services
SB 1176 (CA) by Senator Campbell—Tax Administration
SB 1450 (CA) by Senator Bennett—Emergency Communications

Amendment deadline for this meeting is Wednesday, March 19, 2003 at 1:00 p.m.

Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care (Group III):

1:00—3:00 p.m., Pat Thomas Committee Room, 412 Knott Building:

(MEMBERSHIP: Senator Saunders, Chair; Senator Jones, Vice-Chair; Senators Aronberg, Carlton, Dawson, Diaz de la Portilla, Fasano, Peaden, Villalobos, Wasserman Schultz and Wilson)

SB 558 (CA) by Senator Saunders—Medical Malpractice
SB 560 (CA) by Senator Saunders—Medical Malpractice
SB 562 (CA) by Senator Saunders—Medical Malpractice
SB 564 (CA) by Senator Saunders—Medical Malpractice
SB 566 (CA) by Senator Saunders—Medical Malpractice
SB 274 (CA) by the Committee on Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care—Adverse Incident/AHCA/Pub. Rec.
SB 1154 (CA) by Senator Peaden—Florida Patient's Compensation Fund
SB 1302 (CA) by Senator Cowin—Medical Malpractice
SB 1912 (CA) by Senator Peaden—Health Care
SB 2120 (CA) by Senator Peaden—Medical Malpractice

Amendment deadline for this meeting is Wednesday, March 19, 2003 at 1:00 p.m.

Transportation (Group III): 1:00—3:00 p.m., Room 37 (LL), Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERSHIP: Senator Sebesta, Chair; Senator Klein, Vice-Chair; Senators Alexander, Bullard, Clary, Geller, Lynn, Webster and Wise)

SB 1118 (CA) by Senator Wasserman Schultz and others—Hospice License Plate
SB 1298 (CA) by Senator Carlton—Protect Our Reefs License Plate
SB 214 (CA) by Senator Bennett—Relief/John W. Martz/Hernando Co.
SB 1762 (CA) by Senator Alexander—Bridge Designations
SB 1752 (CA) by Senator Sebesta—Transportation Department
SB 1742 (CA) by Senator Sebesta—Transportation Revenue Bond TF

Amendment deadline for this meeting is Wednesday, March 19, 2003 at 1:00 p.m.

3:30—5:30 p.m.

Ethics and Elections (Group V): 3:30—5:30 p.m., Pat Thomas Committee Room, 412 Knott Building:

(MEMBERSHIP: Senator Cowin, Chair; Senator Dawson, Vice-Chair; Senators Argenziano, Bullard, Dockery, Fasano, Garcia, Margolis, Posey and Smith)

SENATE CONFIRMATION HEARING:

A public hearing for consideration of the confirmation of the below-named executive appointments to the office indicated. (All persons wishing to be heard on these appointments are requested to notify the committee administrative assistant (850-487-5828) on the day preceding the hearing.)

<i>Office and Appointment</i>	<i>For Term Ending</i>
Board of Acupuncture Appointee: Xu, Zonglan, Miami	10/31/2005
Board of Architecture and Interior Design Appointees: Bullock, Ellis W., Jr., Pensacola Rodriguez, Miguel A., Coral Gables	10/31/2005 10/31/2005
Florida Board of Auctioneers Appointee: Hill, Jo Ann, Brooksville	10/31/2005
Florida Citrus Commission Appointees: Brewer, Walter L., Arcadia Chapman, Tristan G., LaBelle Smith, Elson R., Vero Beach	05/31/2005 05/31/2005 05/31/2005
Florida Communities Trust Appointee: Alfonso, Albert E., Tampa	01/31/2005
Board of Trustees of Brevard Community College Appointee: Martinez, Miriam E., Satellite Beach	05/31/2006
Board of Trustees of Central Florida Community College Appointee: Rasbury, Frank M., Ocala	05/31/2006
Board of Trustees of Daytona Beach Community College Appointee: Burden, Beatriz H., Daytona Beach	05/31/2006
Board of Trustees of Edison Community College Appointee: Gorvine, Enid S., Punta Gorda	05/31/2006
Board of Trustees of Florida Community College at Jacksonville Appointee: Asay, Linda H., Amelia Island	05/31/2006
Board of Trustees of Hillsborough Community College Appointee: Gonzalez, W. Edward, Valrico	05/31/2006
Board of Trustees of Indian River Community College Appointees: Abernethy, Bruce R., Sr., Ft. Pierce Perez, Tomas Rene, Vero Beach	05/31/2006 05/31/2006

Board of Trustees of Manatee Community College
 Appointee:
 DuPont, Francis I., Bradenton 05/31/2006

Board of Trustees of North Florida Community College
 Appointee:
 Gibson, Linda F., Madison 05/31/2006

Board of Trustees of Pasco-Hernando Community College
 Appointee:
 Parker, Judy R., New Port Richey 05/31/2006

Board of Trustees of St. Johns River Community College
 Appointee:
 Sloan, Preston B., Palatka 05/31/2006

Board of Trustees of Tallahassee Community College
 Appointee:
 Doster, Russell S., Havana 05/31/2006

Board of Trustees for the Florida School for the Deaf and the Blind
 Appointee:
 Rojas, Maria Teresa, Coral Gables 11/13/2005

Education Practices Commission
 Appointee:
 Griffin, Dennis J., St. Petersburg 09/30/2003

Board of Professional Engineers
 Appointees:
 Miller, R. Gerry, Largo 10/31/2005
 Tomasino, Paul, Temple Terrace 10/31/2005

Board of Hearing Aid Specialists
 Appointee:
 Green, J. Douglas, Jr., Jacksonville 10/31/2005

Governor's Mansion Commission
 Appointee:
 Smith, Carole C., Tallahassee 09/30/2005

Florida Commission on Veterans' Affairs
 Appointee:
 Linden, Albert H., Jr., Gainesville 11/16/2006

SB 1542 (CA) by Senator Cowin and others—Elections
 SB 1544 (CA) by Senator Cowin—Primary Elections
 SB 1732 (CA) by Senator Cowin—Early Voting

Amendment deadline for this meeting is Wednesday, March 19, 2003 at 3:30 p.m.

3:30—6:30 p.m.

Regulated Industries (Group V): 3:30—6:30 p.m., Room 110 (EL), Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERSHIP: Senator Diaz de la Portilla, Chair; Senator Lawson, Vice-Chair; Senators Aronberg, Bennett, Campbell, Geller, Hill, Pruitt, Saunders, Sebesta and Villalobos)

SB 664 (CA) by Senator Sebesta—Bingo/Elderly or Disabled Adults
 SB 1490 (CA) by Senator Lee—Pari-mutuel Wagering
 SB 1138 (CA) by Senator Clary—Professional Service Providers
 SB 1286 (CA) by Senator Bennett—Construction Industry
 SB 1382 (CA) by Senator Clary—Unlicensed Contractors
 SB 590 (CA) by Senator Geller and others—Evelyn Wiesman-Price Act/Bingo

Amendment deadline for this meeting is Wednesday, March 19, 2003 at 3:30 p.m.

FRIDAY, MARCH 21, 2003

9:00 a.m.—12:00 noon

**Appropriations: Subcommittee on Article V
Implementation and Judiciary (Group VII):**

9:00 a.m.—12:00 noon, Verle A. Pope Committee Room, 309
Capitol:

*(MEMBERSHIP: Senator Smith, Chair; Senators Alexander,
Aronberg, Villalobos and Wise)*

Budget work session

**Appropriations: Subcommittee on General Government
(Group VII):**

9:00 a.m.—12:00 noon, Jerry Thomas Committee
Room, 301 Capitol:

*(MEMBERSHIP: Senator Clary, Chair; Senators Bullard, Dockery,
Lawson and Lynn)*

Budget work session

**Appropriations: Subcommittee on Health and Human
Services (Group VII):**

9:00 a.m.—12:00 noon, Room 110
(EL), Senate Office Building:

*(MEMBERSHIP: Senator Peaden, Chair; Senators Garcia, Jones,
Klein and Wilson)*

Budget work session

**Appropriations: Subcommittee on Transportation and
Economic Development (Group VII):**

9:00 a.m.—12:00
noon, Room 117, Knott Building:

*(MEMBERSHIP: Senator Webster, Chair; Senators Atwater, Hill,
Lee, Sebesta and Siplin)*

Budget work session

9:30 a.m.—12:00 noon

**Appropriations: Subcommittee on Criminal Justice
(Group VII):**

9:30 a.m.—12:00 noon, Room 42 (LL), Senate
Office Building:

*(MEMBERSHIP: Senator Crist, Chair; Senators Argenziano,
Constantine, Dawson and Fasano)*

Budget work session

Appropriations: Subcommittee on Education (Group

VII): 9:30 a.m.—12:00 noon, Pat Thomas Committee Room, 412
Knott Building:

*(MEMBERSHIP: Senator Carlton, Chair; Senators Bennett, Cowin,
Diaz de la Portilla, Miller and Wasserman Schultz)*

Budget work session

MONDAY, MARCH 24, 2003

11:30 a.m.—12:30 p.m.

Administrative Procedures Committee:

11:30 a.m.—12:30 p.m., Room 42 (LL), Senate Office Building:

(SENATE MEMBERSHIP: Senator Bennett, Alternating Chair;
Senators Argenziano and Margolis)

Status report:

Carroll Webb, Executive Director and General Counsel

New objection:

Rule 64B9-15.002, Certified Nursing Assistant Authorized Duties,
Department of Health: Board of Nursing

Reports and appearances

2:00—4:00 p.m.

Ethics and Elections (Group V): 2:00—4:00 p.m., Pat
Thomas Committee Room, 412 Knott Building:

(MEMBERSHIP: Senator Cowin, Chair; Senator Dawson,
Vice-Chair; Senators Argenziano, Bullard, Dockery, Fasano,
Garcia, Margolis, Posey and Smith)

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<i>Office and Appointment</i>	<i>For Term Ending</i>
Board of Acupuncture Appointee: Karr, Paulette M., Coral Gables	10/31/2003
Barbers' Board Appointee: Collins, Robert W., Jacksonville	10/31/2003
Florida Black Business Investment Board, Inc. Appointee: Stokes, Curtis L., Tampa	06/30/2005
Florida Citrus Commission Appointee: McSweeney, Anina C., Sarasota	05/31/2003
Florida Commission on Community Service Appointee: Shore, Maureen, Port Richey	09/14/2005
Board of Trustees of Florida Keys Community College Appointee: Butler, Frank H., Key West	05/31/2006
Board of Trustees of Gulf Coast Community College Appointee: Myers, Stephen C., Panama City Beach	05/31/2006

Board of Trustees of Indian River Community College
Appointee:
Syfrett, Linda T., Okeechobee 05/31/2006

Board of Trustees of Lake City Community College
Appointee:
Landon, Stevie, Lake City 05/31/2006

Board of Trustees of Okaloosa-Walton Community College
Appointee:
Hall, Connie S., Niceville 05/31/2006

Board of Trustees of Pasco-Hernando Community College
Appointees:
Braak, Judith F., Bayonet Point 05/31/2006
Gavish, Jeanne M., Brooksville 05/31/2006

Board of Trustees of St. Johns River Community College
Appointee:
Lancaster, Larry R., Orange Park 05/31/2006

Board of Trustees of South Florida Community College
Appointee:
Vickers, Audrey, Lorida 05/31/2006

Education Practices Commission
Appointees:
Ansley, Clarence Wayne, Crestview 09/30/2005
Brooks, Roy, Fern Park 09/30/2006

Board of Professional Engineers
Appointee:
Duyos, Jorge R., Coral Gables 10/31/2005

Pinellas County Board of Juvenile Welfare
Appointee:
Smith, Joseph A., Largo 08/11/2006

Board of Massage Therapy
Appointee:
Wolfe, Lynda Solien, Rockledge 10/31/2005

Board of Optometry
Appointee:
Oles, Cathy Ann, West Palm Beach 10/31/2005

Board of Osteopathic Medicine
Appointee:
Allaire, Patricia A., Tallahassee 10/31/2005

East Central Florida Regional Planning Council, Region 6
Appointee:
O'Keefe, Daniel T., Windermere 10/01/2003

Central Florida Regional Planning Council, Region 7
Appointee:
Ratliff, Michael R., Okeechobee 10/01/2004

Florida Commission on Tourism
Appointees:
Cabrera, Carlos, Naples 06/30/2005
Fowler, R. Dean, Steinhatchee 06/30/2006
McCreary, William W., Orlando 06/30/2006

SB 1732 (CA) by Senator Cowin—Early Voting(*if not completed at previous meeting*)

SB 516 (CA) by Senator Wilson—High School Voter Registration Prog.

SB 2130 (CA) by Senator Sebesta—Political Advertisements

Amendment deadline for this meeting is Friday, March 21, 2003 at 2:00 p.m.

Regulated Industries (Group V): 2:00—4:00 p.m., Room 110 (EL), Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERSHIP: Senator Diaz de la Portilla, Chair; Senator Lawson, Vice-Chair; Senators Aronberg, Bennett, Campbell, Geller, Hill, Pruitt, Saunders, Sebesta and Villalobos)

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Diane W. Carr, Secretary of Business and Professional Regulation, Term ending date: Pleasure of Governor

SB 476 (CA) by Senator Constantine—Portable Restroom Contracting

SB 600 (CA) by Senator Miller—Hair Braiding

CS/SB 592 (CA) by the Committee on Commerce, Economic Opportunities, and Consumer Services and Senator Geller—Corporate Affairs

SB 1920 (CA) by Senator Diaz de la Portilla—Video Lotteries

SB 1980 (CA) by Senator Diaz de la Portilla—Florida Lottery

SB 68 (CA) by Senator Geller—Video Lottery Purse Trust Fund

SB 70 (CA) by Senator Geller—Video Lottery Thoroughbred TF

Amendment deadline for this meeting is Friday, March 21, 2003 at 2:00 p.m.

4:15 p.m.—until completion of agenda

Rules and Calendar: Special Order Subcommittee:

4:15 p.m.—until completion of agenda, *Jerry Thomas Committee Room*, 301 Capitol:

To set the Special Order Calendar for Wednesday, March 26, 2003

BILLS ON THE CALENDAR

SENATE BILLS ON SECOND READING

CS/SB 18 (2R) by the Committee on Education and Senator Pruitt—

Relief/Smith/Hughes/Truitt; provides for relief of Debra Smith, Pamela Hughes, Michael Truitt, & Charles Hughes; authorizes & directs Indian River Co. School Board to compensate them for death of their father, Sammie Lee Hughes, due to negligence of school board. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Recommended favorably, with one amendment, by The Special Master on Claim Bills and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Education and the Committee on Finance and Taxation, reports the committee substitute favorably

CS/SB 20 (2R) by the Committee on Finance and Taxation and Senator Saunders—

Relief/Jacob P. Darna; provides for relief of Jacob P. Darna, for injuries sustained as result of negligence of Lee Co. School Board. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Recommended unfavorably by The Special Master on Claim Bills and reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Education and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Finance and Taxation

SB 26 (2R) by Senator Posey—

Relief/Alan S. Hammer/Brevard Co.; provides for relief of Alan S. Hammer; authorizes & directs Brevard Co. Board of County Commissioners to compensate Mr. Hammer for personal injuries suffered in automobile accident caused by employee of Brevard County. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.

Recommended favorably by The Special Master on Claim Bills and reported favorably by the Committees on Comprehensive Planning and Finance and Taxation

SB 34 (2R) by Senator Posey—

Relief/Howard & Donna Evarts; provides for relief of Howard S. Evarts & his wife, Donna Evarts; authorizes & directs Brevard Co. Board of County Commissioners to compensate Mr. & Mrs. Evarts for personal injuries suffered by Mr. Evarts in automobile accident caused by employee of Brevard County. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.

Recommended favorably by The Special Master on Claim Bills and reported favorably by the Committees on Comprehensive Planning and Finance and Taxation

CS/SB 38 (2R) by the Committee on Education and Senator Pruitt—

Relief/Amanda Johnson/Indian River; provides for relief of Amanda Johnson, a minor, by & through her parents & natural guardians, Virginia & Charles Johnson, for injuries sustained due to negligence of Indian River County School Board; provides for use of such funds. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Recommended favorably, with one amendment, by The Special Master on Claim Bills and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Education and the Committee on Finance and Taxation, reports the committee substitute favorably

SB 40 (2R) by Senator Pruitt—

Relief/Ebner/St. Lucie Co.; provides for relief of Richard & Denise Ebner for injuries sustained due to negligence of St. Lucie Co.; provides for use of such funds. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Recommended favorably by The Special Master on Claim Bills and reported favorably by the Committees on Comprehensive Planning and Finance and Taxation

CS/SB 42 (2R) by the Committee on Education and Senator Posey—

Relief/Rosemond/Indian River Co.; provides for relief of Taylor Rosemond, a minor, by & through her parents & natural guardians, Alvin & Shirley Rosemond, for injuries sustained due to negligence of Indian River Co. School Board; provides for use of such funds. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Recommended favorably, with one amendment, by The Special Master on Claim Bills and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Education and the Committee on Finance and Taxation, reports the committee substitute favorably

CS/SB 44 (2R) by the Committee on Education and Senator Posey—

Relief/Clay & Tatiana Haywood; provides for relief of Clay Haywood & Tatiana Haywood, minors, by & through Michelle O'Halloran, mother & natural guardian of Clay Haywood & Tatiana Haywood, for injuries sustained due to negligence of Indian River Co. school bus driver; provides for use of such funds. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Recommended favorably, with one amendment, by The Special Master on Claim Bills and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Education and the Committee on Finance and Taxation, reports the committee substitute favorably

SB 46 (2R) by Senator Campbell—

Relief/Yahraus/Sarasota Co.; provides for relief of Denise Yahraus individually & as personal representative of estate of Michael Yahraus, deceased; authorizes & directs school board of Sarasota Co., Florida, to compensate estate for death of Michael Yahraus, due to negligence of Sarasota Co. School Board. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Recommended favorably, with one amendment, by The Special Master on Claim Bills and reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Criminal Justice and reported favorably by the Committee on Finance and Taxation

SB 48 (2R) by Senator Diaz de la Portilla—

Relief/Llerena & Guzman/Hialeah; provides for relief of Asbel Llerena & Wendy Guzman; authorizes & directs City of Hialeah to compensate them for death of Maria de Jesus Llerena, due to negligence of City of Hialeah employee. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Recommended favorably, with three amendments, by The Special Master on Claim Bills and reported favorably, with three amendments, by the Committee on Finance and Taxation

SB 88 (2R) by Senator Geller—

High Occupancy Vehicle Lanes; allows certain energy-saving vehicles to travel in such lanes, regardless of occupancy; provides for decal & registration certificate; provides for fee; provides rulemaking authority. Amends 316.0741. Effective Date: 10/01/2003.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation and reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Commerce, Economic Opportunities, and Consumer Services, and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation and Economic Development, and Appropriations

CS/SB 114 (2R) by the Committee on Ethics and Elections, Senator Constantine and others—

Advertising Campaign Exposure Act; cites as "Florida Advertising Campaign Exposure Act"; redefines term "communications media"; extends time for unopposed candidates to purchase "thank you" advertising; extends date for unopposed candidates to file termination report, to conform; modifies reporting requirements for miscellaneous advertisements intended to influence public policy; prescribes prohibitions, exemptions & penalties, etc. Amends 106.011, .11, .141, .1437. Effective Date: 01/01/2004.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Ethics and Elections

CS/SB 142 (2R) by the Committee on Criminal Justice and Senator Smith—

Criminal History Records/Expunction; prohibits expunction of criminal history record concerning defendant who was found guilty of, or who pled guilty or nolo contendere to, offense of voyeurism, regardless of whether adjudication was withheld; prohibits sealing of criminal history record concerning defendant who was found guilty of, or who pled guilty or nolo contendere to offense of voyeurism, regardless of whether adjudication was withheld. Amends 943.0585, .059. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Criminal Justice and the Committee on Judiciary reports the committee substitute favorably

CS/SB 198 (2R) by the Committee on Comprehensive Planning, Senator Miller and others—

Adult Entertainment Establishments; revises prohibition against locating adult entertainment establishment within specified distance from school; requires that such establishment be approved by county or municipality & district school board. Amends 847.0134. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Comprehensive Planning and the Committee on Education reports the committee substitute favorably

CS/SB 242 (2R) by the Committee on Transportation and Senator Saunders—

License Revocation/HSMV; requires law enforcement agencies to notify HSMV of any traffic fatality or commission of offense that requires mandatory revocation of license upon conviction. Amends 322.27. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Criminal Justice reports the committee substitute favorably

CS/SB 262 (2R) by the Committee on Finance and Taxation and Senator Geller—

Property Owned by Local Governments; provides for disposition of certain surplus state lands; revises definition to increase monetary value of fixtures & tangible personal property that must be included in inventory of property. Amends 253.034, 274.02. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Comprehensive Planning and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Finance and Taxation, and withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations

CS/SB 300 (2R) by the Committee on Transportation, Senator Smith and others—

Driver's License Requirements/Trucks; applies bumper height restrictions to vehicles weighing up to 10,000 pounds; provides exception to driver's license requirements or operators of certain trucks & tractor trailers. Amends 316.251, 322.54. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Transportation and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation and Economic Development, and Appropriations

CS/SB 460 (2R) by the Committee on Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care, Senator Pruitt and others—

Certificate-of-Need/Heart Surgery; provides exemption from certificate-of-need requirements for certain open-heart-surgery programs; provides criteria for qualifying for exemption; requires AHCA to report to Legislature; provides for expiration of exemption. Amends 408.036. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care, and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services, and Appropriations

SB 524 (2R) by Senator Campbell—

Rules of Evidence; specifies circumstances in which claims of error re evidence admitted or excluded at trial are preserved for appeal; provides for circumstances in which evidence accompanied by certification or declaration made by records custodian or another qualified person does not require extrinsic evidence of authenticity as condition precedent to admissibility, etc. Amends 90.104, .803, .902. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary and reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity

CS/SB 570 (2R) by the Committee on Judiciary and Senator Fasano—

U.S. Armed Forces/Rights of Members; requires insurer to refund entire unearned premium of motor vehicle insurance to any member of United States Armed Forces who cancels policy under certain circumstances. Amends 627.7283. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Military and Veterans' Affairs, Base Protection, and Spaceports, and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Judiciary

SB 662 (2R) by Senator Bennett—

Water & Wastewater System/Rates; authorizes Fla. Public Service Commission to approve rates allowing utilities to recover full costs of alternative water supply facilities; increases limitation on gross annual revenues under which water or wastewater utility may qualify to obtain staff assistance from said commission in changing rates & charges. Amends 367.081,.0814. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Communication and Public Utilities

SB 848 (2R) by Senator Clary—

Minerals Trust Fund/DEP; re-creates said trust fund within Environmental Protection Dept. without modification; carries forward current balances & continues current sources & uses thereof. Effective Date: 11/04/2004.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government and withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations with subcommittee recommendation

SB 862 (2R) by Senator Clary—

Water Quality Assurance TF/DEP; re-creates Water Quality Assurance Trust Fund within Environmental Protection Dept. without modification; carries forward current balances & continues current sources & uses thereof. Effective Date: 11/04/2004.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government and withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations with subcommittee recommendation

SB 1488 (2R) by the Committee on Banking and Insurance and others—

Governmental Reorganization; revises various statutory provisions re Cabinet & members of Cabinet, which provisions were affected by amendment of Article IV, Section 4 of State Constitution; provides that, in tie vote of Governor & Cabinet, the side on which Governor voted will be considered prevailing side in absence of contrary statutory intent; provides for selection of members of Fla. Commission on the Status of Women, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Banking and Insurance, and reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, and withdrawn from the Committee on Comprehensive Planning

SB 1568 (2R) by Senator Jones—

Acute Care Hospitals; provides for certain acute care hospitals in high growth counties to add additional beds, without approval of AHCA; provides for notice. Amends 408.043. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care

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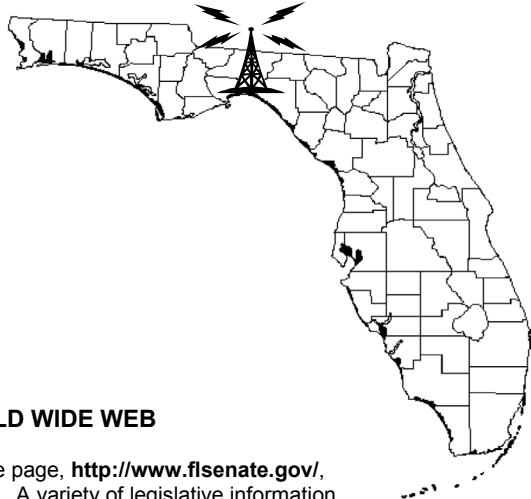
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